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SUBJECT: LOS: BIOGRAPHIC SUPPORT FOR THIRD UN CONFERENCE ON LOS

REF: STATE 27826

1. ICELANDIC DELEGATION TO THIRD UN CONFERENCE ON LOS NOT YET OFFICIALLY NAMED, BUT WE WERE ADVISED BY MFA'S SPECIALIST ON LOS, HANS ANDERSEN, THAT TECHNICAL REPRESENTATIVES ON DELEGATION WILL PROBABLY BE SAME AS THOSE AT CARACAS LAST YEAR, I.E.,

HANS G. ANDERSEN, LEGAL ADVISOR TO FOREIGN MINISTRY
JON ARNALDS, SECRETARY GENERAL, MINISTRY OF FISHERIES
MAR ELISSON, DIRECTOR, FISHERIES ASSOCIATION
JON JONSSON, DIRECTOR, MARITIME RESEARCH INSTITUTE

IN ADDITION, IT IS EXPECTED THAT ONE DELEGATE WILL BE CHOSEN FROM EACH OF ICELAND'S FIVE LEADING POLITICAL PARTIES. COMPOSITION IS LESS CERTAIN THAN IN CASE OF TECHNICIANS ABOVE,
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BUT IT APPEARS LIKELY THAT THERE WILL BE THREE/FOUR REPEATERS

FROM LAST YEAR'S POLITICAL REPRESENTATION WHICH CONSISTED OF:

BENEDIKT GRONDAL, SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN AND MP
GILS GUDMUNDSSON, PEOPLES ALLIANCE MP
PROF. THOR VILHJALMSSON, UNIV. OF ICELAND (INDEPENDENCE PARTY)
THORARINN THORARINSSON, PROGRESSIVE PARTY MP, CHAIRMAN OF FOREIGN
RELATIONS COMMITTEE
HARALDUR HENRYSSON, TREASURER, ORGANIZATION OF LIBERALS AND
LEFTISTS

2. THERE SHOULD BE AMPLE BIOGRAPHIC DATA IN WASHINGTON ON ALL OF
ABOVE. EMBASSY WILL REPORT OFFICIAL COMPOSITION OF GOI DELEGATION
AS SOON AS IT IS NAMED, TOGETHER WITH BIO DATA ON ANY NEW MEMBERS.

3. ICELANDIC DELEGATION WILLNOT (RPT NOT) FUNCTION INDEPENDENTLY
BUT WILL BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE TO CABINET, FROM WHICH IT WILL
RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS.
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